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JAPAN LOSES WAR SHIPS.

According to reports from Tokio and St. Petersburg, though somewhat conflicting, it would appear that the Japa-nese have lost five or six warships in the past 10 days. They are becoming almost as unlucky as the Russians in naval losses, but claim that they have not yet destroyed any of their ships by their own mines, although it is not clear whether a Russian or a Japanese mine is responsible for their latest disaster.

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An official report from Vice Admiral Togo states that the cruisers Kasaga and Yoshino collided during a fog off Port Arthur on May 15. The Yoshino sank, only 90 of her crew being saved, and on the same day the battleship Hatter stanks. Hatsuse struck a Russian mine.

It was in a deep fog off Port Arthur that the Kasaga rammed the Yoshino, sinking the latter in a few minutes.

The battleship Hatsuse while cruising

off Port Arthur, covering the landing of the soldiers, struck a mine 10 knots southeast of the harbor entrance. She signalled for help and instantly struck another mine. She sank in half an hour. Three hundred of her crew were aved by torpedo boats.

Japanese officers are reported to have aformed correspondents that two Russian destroyers have escaped from Port Arthur and are still at large. They stated that the Russians are using Chinese junks to place mines in the path of the Japanese fleet patrolling the pen-insula coast. They also informed them that they had sunk a tug and several junks that were discovered placing

In consequence of this promiscuous mining the Japanese fleet is moving to a greater distance off the coast, and all other navigation in these waters is sus pended. There are indications that the Japanese destroyers have laid many mines outside of Port Arthur, hoping to catch the Russian destroyers in their attempt to return to Port Arthur. Many of these mines have been improperly anchored and are adrift. They are

reported to be all over the gulf. One Chinese junk picked up 13.

Although not confirmed by the admiralty at St. Petersburg, dispatches from Chefoo repeat a story told by Russians arriving from Dalny that during a stable part of Port Arthyr last Monnoombardment of Port Arthur last Monday the Japanese battleships Shikishima and Fuiji struck mines and the former sank and the latter was disabled.

Although the names differ from those contained in Admiral Togo's report, they

may refer to the same vessels.

The Russians at Chefoo seem to have
the shock, and others fainted during the The Russians at Chefoo seem to have obtained their information from the commanding officer at Dalny, who showed them, they assert, a telegram from Port Arthur that the bombardment commenced at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon, and that two hours later the Shikishima struck the mine and was soon at the bottom. During the confusion that followed, according to the story told, the Asami also struck on a mine and was taken in tow, but was settling so fast that it was found necessary to abandon her.

Later arrivals at Chefoo reported to the Russian consul that the battleship Skikishima sank in two minutes after ontact with the sumbmarine mine, and that there was no time to save the crew. The accident happened, it is said, within

The accident inappears, is sight of Port Arthur.

The battleship Fuji, which struck the mine on her port bow had a heavy list, and was also down by the bow, is to work the bow of the bow but was righted and went off in tow of the other cruisers. It is thought impossible, however, that she could reach

Recently the Japanese cruiser Miyaka sank in Kerr bay by striking a mine. The Russian admiralty sti'l claims that the channel at Port Arthur was never blocked by the Japanese fireships, and that there is a free passage even for the heavy Russian ships.

Will Dispatch War Ships.

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